

IN THE  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Kenneth W. Winters

Confirmation No.: 2610

Application No.: 10/087,149

Examiner: Torres, Marcos

Filing Date: 02-27-2002

Group Art Unit: 2683

Title: INFORMATION SYSTEM METHODS AND APPARATUS



Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
(X) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
( ) No additional fee  
(X) Other: Return Receipt Post Card (fee \$ )

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	30	MINUS	20	= 10	X \$18	\$ 180
INDEP. CLAIMS	7	MINUS	3	= 4	X \$88	\$ 352
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$300	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$430.00	3RD MONTH \$980.00	4TH MONTH \$1530.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 532

Charge \$ 532 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

Kenneth W. Winters

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**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**DOCKET NO. 10008008-1**

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**RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**  
**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**  
**PO BOX 1450**  
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**SIR OR MADAM:**

This communication is in response to the Office action mailed 09/17/2004.

**Claim Summary:**

Claims originally present: 1-20.  
Claims hereby canceled: 1-16.  
Claims hereby amended: 17.  
Claims hereby added: 21-46.  
Claims remaining: 17-46.

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